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building. The only thing that is authorized, however, is the planning money. It's about, as I recall, about \$40,000 or a little less maximum. Nothing is appropriated for next year in order to complete the work but the planning money. Morrill Hall, for example, has \$65,000 in. There was \$65,000 in last year for planning money, plus the \$65 this year. There is no commitment in the bill for the actual construction to take place next year, but it would be eligible to be considered next year. As I indicated in my opening remarks, there is no new construction. There are some projects not yet begun that were previously authorized, but they are somewhere in that process of being ready to go to bid. Some of them, as a matter of fact, like the animal science building was delayed. The start-up date was delayed and the Governor's recommendation, I would assume that that could have been processed sooner, but it was slowed down, but a further complication, when the bids came in they were in excess of what was anticipated so they got to either scale it back, there will be no additional money put in, but either scale it back or eliminate some of the options that were included in the bids in order to stay within the appropriation. Mr. President, I move the bill be advanced.

PRESIDENT: The motion is to advance LB 723 from General File. All those in favor vote aye, opposed vote nay. Motion is to advance LB 723 from General File. Please record your vote. May we have the attention of the membership, please, to the voting going on on the floor. Please record your vote on the motion to advance appropriations bill 723. Have you all voted? Record the vote, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: 28 ayes, 1 nay, Mr. President, on the motion to advance LB 723.

PRESIDENT: LB 723 is advanced. The Chair would like to announce that while the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign, and do sign LB 97, 183, 279, 207, 413, 552, 552A, 709, 280 and 280A all of which were passed this morning on Final Reading. On to LB 728.

CLERK: 728, offered by the Appropriations Committee and signed by its members. (Read title.) The bill was read on April 26 of this year, referred directly to General File, Mr. President.